



## **Town of Pittsboro CTP Vision and Goals**

### **Purpose:**

To work with Chatham County, the Triangle Area Rural Planning Organization, and the North Carolina Department of Transportation to analyze vehicular transportation utilized within these areas and develop a Comprehensive Transportation Plan to act as a guide for all future roadway needs and recommendations.

### **Vision:**

Enhance the connectivity of the Town of Pittsboro through the development of a transportation network which promotes and supports economic development compatible with the existing and future environmental and land use patterns. Provide safe, reliable, affordable, and convenient transportation choices to the residents of the Town as well as public awareness of those choices. Develop a regional transportation network that improves residents' quality of life and surrounding environment.

### **Goals:**

1. Insure the integrity of the existing Transportation system by encouraging planned and strategic development.
2. Encourage right of way preservation to ensure expansion of the existing system and future roadway projects.
3. Provide means to identifying and prioritizing transportation system needs on a local and regional scale.
4. Promote roadways that allow and encourage alternative modes of transportation including but not limited to transit, walking and bicycling.
5. Develop a network that improves safety and congestion in the entire town, but specifically in the downtown area
6. Encourage a network that links the Town of Pittsboro with surrounding metropolitan areas including Raleigh, Durham, and Chapel Hill, and other areas in the region.
7. Educate the public on general transportation issues as well as alternative forms of transportation.
8. Provide an alternative route for trucks that does not require travel through downtown Pittsboro.
9. Develop a network that minimizes the need for expansion of roadways within downtown Pittsboro so that the current pedestrian friendly character can be enhanced.